

## DUCKS AND GEESE ABSORB THE ATTENTION OF KLAMATH'S LOVERS OF SPORT

### THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

The President issued his annual proclamation last Thursday, designating Thursday, Nov. 30th, as a day of Thanksgiving, of which the following is a copy:

"By the President of the United States of America, a proclamation:

"When, nearly three centuries ago, the first settlers came to the country which has now become this great Republic, they faced not only hardship and privation but terrible risk to their lives. In those grim years the custom grew of setting apart one day in each year for a special service of Thanksgiving to the Almighty for preserving the people through the changing seasons. The custom has now become national and hallowed by immemorial usage. We live in easier and more plentiful times than our forefathers, and men who, with rugged strength, faced the rugged days, and yet the dangers to national life are quite as great now as any previous time in our history. It is eminently fitting that once a year our people should set apart a day for praise and thanksgiving to the giver of good, and, at the same time, that they express their thankfulness for the abundant mercies received, should manfully acknowledge their shortcomings and pledge themselves solemnly and in good faith to strive to overcome them. During the past year we have been blessed with bountiful crops. Our business property has been great. No other people has ever stood on as high a level of material well-being as ours now stands. We are not threatened by foes from without. The foes from whom we should pray to be delivered are our passions, appetites and follies, and against these there is always need that we should war.

Therefore, I now set apart Thursday, the 30th day of November, as a day of thanksgiving for the past and prayer for the future, and on this day I ask that throughout the Nation the people gather in their homes and places of worship, and, in rendering thanks unto the Most High for the manifold blessings of the past year, consecrate themselves to a life of cleanliness, honor and wisdom, so that this Nation may do its allotted work on the earth in a manner worthy of those who founded it and of those who preserved it."

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed."

### Jurors For Circuit Court

Following is the list of jurors drawn Wednesday for the December term of Circuit Court which convenes on the 4th of next month:

R. T. Summers, J. L. Bateman, W. S. Worden, G. H. Woodbury, W. A. Wright, S. B. Low, L. D. Ward, H. E. Whiteline, Free Applegate, John Gillman, F. M. Barnum, John Hibbert, James Dixon, P. L. Fountain, James Briscoe, of Klamath Falls.

George Chase, F. L. Wright, of Keno, Riley Wood, Wm. Wood, L. Sterzl of Dairy.

C. A. Bunting, W. C. Dalton, W. D. Ball, Fred Binesing, T. A. Harrows Jr., W. F. Hill, H. T. Anderson, of Merrill, James L. Gordon, Saml. Kingdon, Al. Melrose, Fred Cronmiller, of Fort Klamath.

For Sale—2 O. G. doors, redwood, 2-6 3-6 x 1 1/4; 1 glass door, Colonial redwood, 1 light 2-8x6-8x1 1/2; 4 windows 12 1/2x1 1/2; 4 lights; 1 window 40x32x1 1/2; 2 light, 21 oz. City Drug Store.

### NEW POWER PLANT READY NEXT WEEK

#### Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars Has Been Expended By President Gates for New Electric Light and Water Plant for Klamath Falls.

Klamath Falls' new \$35,000 electric light and water works plant will begin operation some time next week.

The new plant was built by the Klamath Falls Light & Power Company and is one of the results of the increase in population and business in Klamath Falls. The building of the new plant will necessitate the laying of over two miles of new water pipe in the city, and also the reconstruction of the entire system of main wires.

The wing walls and headgates of the flume located at the head of Link River, have been so constructed that half of the river could be diverted. The head gates can take in 10,000 inches of water. The water that will furnish the power for the plant will be conveyed through a flume 2050 feet long and will give 33 feet of head on the wheel. The first 600 feet is a square box flume and the balance a pipe flume five and three-fourths feet in diameter on the inside. Two hundred and fifty thousand feet of lumber and two carloads of iron were used in the construction of the flumes.

The water wheel that has been placed in the new station house is a twin Victor wheel, weighing 33,000 pounds and with the head will develop between 400 and 500 horsepower. The dynamo weighs 10,000 pounds and is 240 K. W., three phase, 60 cycle, and 2300 volt general electric alternating generator. This will be able to furnish 5000 16-candle power light. The station building, while plain, has been very thoroughly constructed and is 40 by 40 feet on the outside. In building the foundation of the station building 350 wagon loads of rock were used.

The pump has been established in the old station and is operated by a 60 horsepower motor. The pump is the highest type of the Gould Water Works power motor and weighs 18000 pounds alone. Its capacity is 700 gallons per minute. The old reservoir will not have to be rebuilt as its capacity is sufficient for a population of 10,000.

Besides the great expense of the new plant, the Company have commenced the reconstruction of its entire line of water pipe and electric wires and poles through the city. New Juniper poles, selected for their durability, have been put in and one ton of copper wire strung from the station to town. This will carry the whole load of the wheel. The pump pipe has been increased from three to six inch. The old system used the single phase but since the adoption of the three phase, it will be necessary to reconstruct the entire wire system in the city. This change has already been made in the main line and the balance will be completed this fall.

The great work and expense necessary in installing a plant of this magnitude in a place like Klamath Falls, so far from the railroad, can hardly be conceived by the general public. On account of the enormous weight of machinery it was at first thought to be almost an impossibility to haul it over the route from the railroad. The water wheel which weighed 33,000 pounds is said to be the heaviest single piece of machinery ever brought to Klamath county. It required eight horses and a specially constructed wagon to bring it to this city. When the new plant is in operation Klamath Falls can boast of having the best plant of its size in the state of Oregon.

### LODGE DOINGS

#### KLAMATH FALLS A CITY FULL OF LIVE LODGES AND FRATERNAL SOCIETIES. SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME.

Probably there is no town of the size in the state where the fraternal and insurance lodges are so well represented as they are in Klamath Falls. There are twelve of the best and leading lodges of the United States represented in this city, and every one is alive and prosperous. In fact, there is not a dead lodge in town. That is not the way Klamath county people do business. When they go into anything, be it fraternal, social, political or business, they go in with their whole soul. Nearly all of the local lodges of the town are planning for big times between now and the first of the year. At every meeting of the different lodges there is always something doing. And this interest speaks well of the class of citizens that make up the population of Klamath county.

**A. O. U. W. LODGE.**  
Linkville Lodge No. 119 A. O. U. W. are planning for a big celebration on December 5. It will be nineteen years on the first of December since the local lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was first instituted in Klamath Falls, and anyone acquainted with the individuality of the members of this lodge and some of their past efforts in

the line of celebration, will know that this great occasion will be properly and appropriately commemorated. There are several applications for membership already in and it is expected to initiate a class of twelve or fifteen on the date of celebration. A banquet and program has also been arranged and a big time is expected. A working team will be organized next Tuesday and uniforms are to be ordered at once.

**I. O. O. F. LODGE.**  
Klamath Lodge No. 137 I. O. O. F. are also having some interesting meetings. New members are coming in all the time and there will be work nearly every meeting from now until Christmas. There will be work next Saturday night and a large attendance is expected. All members of the team are specially requested to be present Saturday evening.

**K. OF P. LODGE.**  
The newly organized lodge of Knights of Pythias are going some. They meet every Monday evening at the A. O. U. W. hall. It will be remembered that this is the lodge which gave the excursion on the steamer Klamath some weeks ago. They were so successful in this venture that they are now planning to

### WATER USERS TURNED DOWN

#### Langell Valley Telephone Company Is Not A Mutual Concern. Refuses to Sell a Share to the Water Users Asso. Expect Pay for Services.

A few days ago the distressing cry went up that the Langell Valley Telephone Company was being denied the privilege of coming into Klamath Falls by a subsidized and tyrannical council, that a soulless and grasping corporation might spread its tentacles over the land and suck the life blood of the toiling tillers of the soil. The people buckled on their armor and rallied to the standard of the besieging women, the Water Users Association joined the holy crusade. J. Scott flourished an inkpot, Grigsby moved on the works with a catapult full of petitions. The citadel was stormed and down it went! And into the city came the triumphant Langell valleyites. And thus came the great opportunity to bring the water users into direct, instant and free communication with their association and Uncle Sam's office, a matter of great interest, convenience and economy in connection with the progress of irrigation matters. With all this in view the Board of Directors of the Water Users Association innocently authorized and directed its secretary to purchase a share

of stock in said company. Alas for well laid plans and telephone hopes! Manager Duncan, to whom application was made promptly and emphatically turned the proposition down, amazed at what he evidently considered the temerity of the Association for assuming that such a preposterous proposition would be entertained for a minute. The secretary, abashed, fell through the floor. The very idea of the Langell Valley farmers being wired to the Water Users Association! Hello! Hello!

It was thought that the Langell Valley Telephone Company was a co-operative institution for the free use and benefit of the farmers and water users. If manager Duncan can be taken as an indicator, there are already symptoms of soul shrinkage and tentacular developments. However, I am unwilling to believe that he represents the sentiment of his company or the good people of Langell Valley. Sundry bellicose expressions concerning government irrigation may have a connection that is more gastronomic than telephonic.

ELMER I. APPLEGATE.

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The Government is now at work on an irrigating project that will irrigate the entire Klamath basin and adjacent valleys, and when completed will cover from 250,000 to 300,000 acres of land. Bids for the construction of the big tunnel and first ten miles of the canal will be opened December 20th. The productivity of this vast area can scarcely be imagined at the present time. As one of the reclamation service puts it: "In the rock of rough marble the sculptor saw an angel. His practiced hand chiseled away the imprisoning stone, revealing to the world a figure of beauty." With an equal present eye the United States reclamation service sees in the Klamath plateau of Southern Oregon and Northern California a land of thousands of prosperous homes, and with equal skill the engineers of the service will reveal the agricultural possibilities of this undeveloped region. When this work is completed the Government will have developed this country into one of the most fertile regions of the Northwest. Ten millions of dollars will be expended here by the Government, the railroads and private individuals in the next few years. Two railroads are building into this country, and in a short time its products will be brought in touch with the world's market, and it is not necessary that one should have the eye of a sculptor or the practical experience of an engineer to see that an era of prosperity is dawning for this place that will be substantial and enduring.

Klamath county has been named the sportsman's paradise. The countless flocks of wild ducks and geese that inhabit its lakes and rivers, the finest trout fishing in the world, and the many species of large game that still roam over its hills and valleys, warrant all that the name implies. The numerous hot springs of this country will make it a health resort, while its richness in natural scenery will make it an attraction to tourists.

### COSTS MONEY TO BE A CANDIDATE

#### Secretary of State Dunbar has begun to make preparations for the general primary election to be held in this state and district offices must be filled with the Secretary of State by April 1, in order to have a place on the official ballot.

It will require at least 90 days for each candidate or his friends to secure the necessary names and prepare the petitions required by law, so that the name may appear on the official ballot. The tally sheets will contain space for recording the vote for at least 90 candidates for each party in every county in the state. Two tally sheets will be prepared: One for the Republican party and one for the Democratic party. No other party can sufficient votes at the last election to entitle it to recognition in the primary election.

Secretary Dunbar placed an order with the state printer for 32,380 blanks to be delivered by January 1. The estimated cost of the primary election is between \$350 and \$400.

There is nothing to prevent any man from circulating a petition to have his name placed on the official primary ballot. Secretary of State Dunbar has no discretion in the matter, but must place every man's name on the official ballot whose petition is regular and complies with the terms of the law.

**Duffy's Coyote Hunt Sunday**

I. A. Duffy, he with the gold headed cane, who has a mania for planning excursions and novel expeditions, will head a coyote hunt to Bear Island Sunday. There is one lone coyote on Bear Island and a party will go there Sunday with about a hundred dogs and have a hunt. No guns will be used. There is a hill in the middle of the island from which a good view can be obtained. In the language of Mr. Duffy, "the party will go up the hill and watch the dogs catch the 'Fool brute.'"

**Meeting of Stockholders**

The Stockholders of the Klamath County Agricultural Association are hereby called to meet at the Court House office of the County Judge, in Klamath Falls, Oregon, for their regular annual meeting, on Saturday, the 2nd day of December, 1905, at the hour of 2 P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors and officers for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may be necessary.

Representation by proxy, duly appointed in writing and filed with the Secretary, is allowable.

Klamath Falls, Oregon, Nov. 14, 1905.  
G. T. BALDWIN, President.  
B. ST. GEO. BISHOP, Secretary.

Three new additions to the town of Klamath Falls were approved by the County Commissioners Court at their meeting the first of this month. The new additions are, Nob Hill, Second and Mountain View, to the latter a supplemental plat was filed and approved. Klamath Falls is growing.

Add to all these a healthful, sunny climate, and your ideal should be full. It seems strange that a country so richly endowed by nature should lie dormant as long as this has, but the reason is easy to explain. It was cut off from market and hard of access, but now that it is to be opened up, and its wonderful resources developed, it is hard to imagine what its future greatness will be.

C. T. BONNEY.

### Should Be Prosecuted

Some of the worst offenders of the street ordinance are getting back into their old habit of blocking the streets and walks with wagons and boxes. The City has just spent nearly \$100 in cleaning Main street, but there are a few people who think the law was not made for them. These people should be brought up and fined the limit and perhaps they would be taught a lesson.

### Mail Routes Advertised

The Postoffice Department is advertising for bids for the carrying of the mail over the four stage routes in Klamath county. Bids will be received by the Second Assistant Postmaster General up to December 5, 1905, for the carrying of mail over the following routes: Klamath Falls-Pokegama; present contract pay \$1734. Klamath Falls-Fort Klamath; present contract pay \$1800. Klamath Falls-Merrill-Tule Lake, present contract pay \$1278.75. Klamath Falls-Lakeview; present contract pay \$900.

James Briscoe and Jim Jory were in the city the first of the week after a load of lumber with which to build fences. Mr. Jory went on to Rogue River Valley to buy hogs. He says he can make more feeding his grain than by selling to the mills.

**Klamath Falls' Popular Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoe Store**

Now is the time to buy your CLOTHING Special good values in OVERCOATS

Suits for Men in all Wool Cheviots, Fancy Mixtures and Cassimere, new cut three button double breasted sacks from 10 to 20 dollars

BOYS SUITS from \$2.75 up.

Very good BARGAINS in Dress Goods.

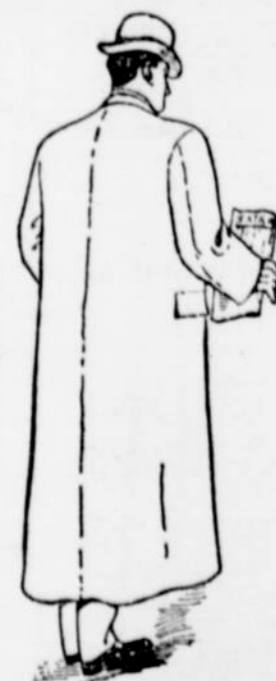
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In GENT'S FURNISHINGS we carry everything.

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The STORE for small profits and quick sales.



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Patent leather lace boot. dull top, medium wide toe, heavy winter sole.

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